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3 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
4 **DISTRICT OF NEVADA**
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6 ZENIA BROWN,
7 Plaintiff,
8 v.
9 KILOLO KIJAKAZI,
10 Defendant.

Case No. 2:23-cv-00254-NJK

Order

[Docket No. 9]

11 Pending before the Court is Plaintiff's amended complaint. Docket No. 9. The Court
12 previously granted Plaintiff's application to proceed *in forma pauperis*. Docket No. 7.

13 When a party seeks permission to pursue a civil case *in forma pauperis*, courts will screen
14 the complaint. *See* 28 U.S.C. § 1915(e). With respect to social security appeals specifically, judges
15 in this District have outlined some basic requirements for complaints to satisfy the Court's
16 screening. First, the complaint must establish that administrative remedies were exhausted
17 pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 405(g), and that the civil action was commenced within 60 days after
18 notice of a final decision. Second, the complaint must indicate the judicial district in which the
19 plaintiff resides. Third, the complaint must state the nature of the plaintiff's disability and when
20 the plaintiff claims to have become disabled. Fourth, the complaint must contain a plain, short,
21 and concise statement identifying the nature of the plaintiff's disagreement with the determination
22 made by the Social Security Administration and show that the plaintiff is entitled to relief. *See*,
23 *e.g.*, *Graves v. Colvin*, 2015 WL 357121, *2 (D. Nev. Jan. 26, 2015) (collecting cases).

24 The Court has reviewed the complaint, and finds these elements satisfied in this case.

25 Accordingly, the Court hereby **ORDERS** as follows:

26 1. The Clerk of Court shall file the Complaint.
27 2. The Clerk of Court shall provide notice of this action to the Commissioner pursuant to
28 Rule 3 of the Supplemental Rules for Social Security.

3. From this point forward, Plaintiff shall serve upon Defendant or, if appearance has been entered by counsel, upon the attorney, a copy of every pleading, motion or other document submitted for consideration by the court. Plaintiff shall include with the original paper submitted for filing a certificate stating the date that a true and correct copy of the document was personally served or sent by mail to the defendants or counsel for the defendants. The Court may disregard any paper received by a district judge or magistrate judge which has not been filed with the Clerk, and any paper received by a district judge, magistrate judge or the Clerk which fails to include a certificate of service.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: February 27, 2023

~~Nancy J. Koppe~~
United States Magistrate Judge